IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Aida INBAL, et al.) Group Art Unit: 1656
Application No.: 10/589,957) Examiner: Lisa Joe Hobbs
Filed: August 18, 2006)
For: USE OF FACTOR XIII FOR STIMULATING THE PERFUSION OF ISCHEMIC TISSUE	Confirmation No.: 2117

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In reply to the Office Action mailed February 19, 2009, the period for response having been extended to July 19, 2009, (a Sunday) by a request for extension of two months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are included in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are included in this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper.

Attachments to this amendment include Matrigel[®] and Affi-Gel[®] product sheets.